VOTES, AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1808.

Copy of Walter Cheek's Bill enclosed.

The Hon'ble the Governor of the State of Maryland,

To Walter Crook, Dr. 1808. April 2. To my expenses and services attending the measuring and valuing of Mr. Wm. Tuck's work in the house of delegates,

Auditor's-Office, Annapolis, 22d April, 1808. The above account examined and passed for thirteen pounds two shillings and six-pence.

(A true Copy. S. Lowdermilk, clk.)

Baltimore, 29th March, 1808. A Bill for valuation of sundry furniture and repairs in the house of delegates for the state of Maryland. To 22 square desks, at 31 36 dollars, Dollars To 14 circular ditto, 37 43 dollars, 700 93 To 4 ditto ditto, 31 10, 524 2 124 40 To 1 ditto ditto for speaker,

To 2 ditto ditto for clerks, at 36 to dollars, 73 39 To carpenters work done in the house of delegates at Annapolis, **254** 54 To pine lumber for ditto, 97 20 To carter's bill for ditto, 10 00 To nails for ditto,

To lead and tin, as per bills, 20 00 94 7 To small tacks for ditto, 2 0 To making of a carpet, &c.

20 00 To nailing down carpet, and tacks, 70 00 To making 80 spitting boxes, at 43c. To repairing of seats, 34 40

20 25 To repairing of speaker's chair, 6 00 To repairing window blinds, materials, &c.

38 21 To chairs, freight, &c. To covering a table and desk in committee room with cloth, 163 33

27 39 To making screen, lumber, &c. 40 00

Dollars 2,357 99 Measured and valued on the part of the state. WALTER CROOK (A true Copy. S. Lowdermilk, clk.)

(No. 7.)

Mr. Tuck, Sir,

Baltimore, April 8th, 1808.

WM. CAMP,

ROBT, DENNY, Auditor.

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ENCLOSED I send you a memorandum of Mr. Crook's and myself's valuation of the work done by you for the state, that we were called on to value. Mr. Crook has sent on the valuation without the annexed explanation, and of course without my signature: He would not agree to sign the explanation, but observed that he thought you ought to be satisfied without it. I have done all in my power to serve you, and I believe if he, Grook, had signed the explanation you would have been paid your charge without further trouble. Your's sincerely,

Messrs. Wm. and Washington Tuck, Annapolis.

(A true Copy from the Original. S. Lowdermilk, clk.)

Baltimore, 31st March, 1808. THE undersigned being called on to value the above work, give it as their joint opinion, that the prices anmexed to the several articles. &c. above, is correct, as far as they are competent to determine from appearance. But the undersigned are far from wishing it understood, from the above valuation, that it should be inferred that the men who made the work and repairs should be allowed no more for their services, as they say several alterations took place in the execution of the above work, which added materially to their labour and materials; there are also several other expenses attending the fitting up the delegates room, which the undersigned think themselves not competent to determine, (work that Mess. Tucks say they have performed,) viz. glazing, plastering and scaffolding, brasses for lamps, &c. their expenses going to Washington to take a plan of the anishing of the house of representatives, and several times to Baltimore for materials and ferniteres

(A true Copy. S. Lowdermilk, elk.)